

REMARKS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Patent Application for Dale, et al

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For:

A Method of Selectively Producing

male or Female Sterile Plants

Action:

Response to Notification to

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This is in response to the Notification to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures. Applicant was given two months to respond and said reply is timely.

Applicant is providing a substitute and amended paper sequence listing with the appropriate changes to the paper sequence listing as noted on the raw sequence listing error report provided with the Notice to Comply. The applicant notes that the substitute and amended paper sequence listing do not carry the two sections identified as<140> and <141> as the office indicated that this was corrected. The disk is now in the Text format and is not in word. The total number of sequence lines in the original application in error stated there were 11 sequences. The specification clearly indicates on pages 22 and 23 that there were only 7 Seq ID No. The error is corrected and no new matter is added by this correction. Additionally, the source of the genetic material in item 11 and in Sequence 6 and 7 have been corrected to read "Motif of R. gracilis D-amino acid oxidases." This language is not new matter as it is taken from Example 10 on page 40 of the specification.

Applicant is also enclosing a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the sequence listing which is identical to the enclosed paper sequence listing. The Attorney of record certifies that the contents of the substitute paper copy of the listing